



TITLE OF THE COURSE:	Global Economics
Course code:	EKM6008
Course group:	C
Faculty:	Faculty of Economics and Management
Study program:	International Economics
Level:	Master's
Semester:	Autumn
ECTS credits:	6
Language of instruction	English
Course lecturer/s:	Prof. dr. Violeta Pukeliene
Short course description:	The main aim of the course is to analyse globalization processes, to define the main reasons and the main indicators of the economic globalization, to analyse global enterprises, the global role of business and global economy: trade, FDI, global capital and labour markets, to analyse the global governance problems, and globalization scepticism. Analysing global economy to define European Union as one of the biggest regional economic association role in global economy; to analyse the relationship between globalization and European economic integration after Second World war.
Course content:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Globalization: the essence, causes, benefits. 2. Globalization and internationalization. 3. Changes in international division of labour. 4. Restructuring of the production system. 5. Financial globalization and crisis. 6. Globalization and European integration. 7. Transnational corporations. 8. International trade. 9. Foreign direct investments. 10. Work and migration in the context of globalization. 11. Development of global organizations. 12. Analysis of global and international companies. 12. The need for global governance and contradictions. 13. The scepticism of globalization.
Grading and evaluating student work in class and/or at the final exam:	<p>Colloquium – 20 %; Homework No.1 – 15 %; Homework No.2 – 15 %; Exam – 50 %.</p>
Required reading and additional study material	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 2006 N. Acocella. Economic Policy in the Age of Globalization. Cambridge university press. 2. St. Brakman. Nations and Firms in the global Economy. Cambridge university press. Cambridge university press. Cambridge university press. <p>Additional study materials:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 2002 Stiglitz, J. Globalization and its Discontents. McGraw-Hill 2. 2011 Rodrik D. The globalization Paradox. Irwin



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	3. 1999 Daniels P.W., Lever W.F. The Global Economy in Transition. Oxford
<i>Additional information (if applicable)</i>	